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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for a invention entitled:

STABILIZED AQUEOUS NUCLEOSIDE TRIPHOSPHATE SOLUTIONS and invented by: IHLENFELDT, Hans-Georg; SCHMIDT, Axel; MUHLEGGER, Klaus; and LEITENBERGER, Volker af a CONTINUATION APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information: 🛮 Continuation 🔲 Divisional 🔲 Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/308.034 Which is a: Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: Which is a: Enclosed are: Application Elements 1.

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